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**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No.: **060945-0103**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Sung-Soo Chae

Confirmation No.: 4992

Serial No.: 10/699,115

Art Unit: 3618

Filed: October 31, 2003

Examiner: Avery, Bridget D.

For: FIXING DEVICE FOR AN  
AUTOMOBILE MUFFLER

Attorney Docket No.: 060945-0103

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in response to the detailed Office Action mailed September 9, 2005, and respectfully request the amendments and remarks be entered in the file of the above identified application.

**Claims** are provided in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 4.